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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



NCR Corporation Docket No. 9684

In re application of: BISGAARD-BOHR, M.

Serial No. 09/739,994

Filed: December 18, 2000

For: DATA MODEL FOR ANALYSIS OF RETAIL TRANSACTIONS USING GAUSSIAN

MIXTURE MODELS IN A DATA MINING SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Independent Claims	3	-	3	0 X	\$ 200 =	\$ 0
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Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate.

Please charge all fees to Deposit Account No. 14 0225 of NCR Corporation (the assignee of the present application). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully,

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2005, kindly amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims appear in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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